## UNITED STATES ATTORNEY'S OFFICE FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

## LAW CLERK SUMMER INTERNSHIP JOB DESCRIPTION

The United States Attorney's Office for the District of Delaware serves as the principal litigator for its judicial district and is responsible for coordinating multiple agency investigations within the district. The United States Attorney has the responsibility and authority to prosecute violations of federal criminal statutes, defend the government in civil actions, seek the enforcement of a variety of civil enforcement statutes, and institute proceedings for the collection of fines and penalties among other things.

Our Law Clerk Summer Internship Program is designed to provide law students with valuable legal experience and to allow the attorneys in our office to benefit from their skills and insight. We expect our law clerks to provide assistance with legal research, document drafting, preparation of legal memoranda, review of hearing transcripts, fact witness and expert witness interviews, affidavit preparation, and case strategy decision making, all under the supervision of Assistant United States Attorneys. Interns will receive significant feedback on their assignments.

The Program also offers the opportunity to participate in activities such as: visits to other federal agencies, meetings with federal agents, tours of institutions relevant to the federal criminal justice system (such as the United States Probation Office, State Medical Examiner's Office, and federal and/or state prison systems), a visit to oral argument at the Third Circuit, mock interview sessions, resume review and discussion and a number of opportunities to interact with AUSAs in a social setting.

If you are a 1L law student and are interested in submitting an application for the Summer Internship Program, please send a resume and cover letter by March 1 to:

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